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## Named Town Officers By Appointment Of The Selectmen

Last week-end there was filed with the Town Clerk a list of appointments made by the Selectmen at their recent meeting, which nearly completes the roster and assures the working force for the year. Ralph V. Gibson is Superintendent of Roads; Charles L. Johnson, Fire Chief and Forest Warden; Dean Williams, Sealer of Weights and Measures; James R. Dale, Gypsy Moth Agent; Public Weighers, George O. Dunnell, F. Myron Dunnell, Clarence H. Spaulding, Stanley Mankowski, Inspector Meats, Provisions and Slaughtering, Horace W. Bolton; Fence Viewers, Lawrence S. Quinlan and Edward M. Morgan; Surveyors, Wood and Timber, James E. Dresser, Fred I. Bolton and Lawrence S. Quinlan; Field Driver, the Constables. A member of the Board of Registrars is to be appointed. A Cattle Inspector is to be named and a Poundkeeper, designated. The Forest Fire Warden will name his deputies.

The Park Commissioner is Dr. Allen H. Wright and he was appointed for the year by the annual town meeting.

Members of the Town Finance Committee have been appointed for a three year term by the Moderator. They are Frank W. Williams and A. Gordon Moody. Mr. Moody succeeds George W. Carr who was elected a Selectman.

## Important Gathering Mount Hermon School

Headmaster David R. Porter has announced that an embassy will be held on the Mount Hermon School campus this week end when a group of college men gather for a program of general meetings in Memorial Chapel and the various dormitories. A number of important subjects will be discussed, including "What My Christian Faith Means to Me," "The Different Elements of the Christian Faith," and "Christianity and the Problems of Today." Under the latter heading the topics of "The Importance of Christianity Reaching Over National Borders in Time of War" and "Reconstruction After the War" will be given serious consideration.

Among the delegates attending the embassy, who will have a prominent part in the meetings and conduct services in Memorial Chapel on Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 5 p. m., are: Henry M. Leiper of Amherst and Yale, who is chairman of the group; Marvin A. Franklin, Jr., Vanderbilt and Yale; Robert V. McFarland, University of Washington and Yale; Spencer Parsons, Mount Hermon, Denison University, and Andover; Newton; Bruce Roberts of Williams and Andover-Newton; and Denny Williams, Duke University and Yale.

## Jakutovitz-Bartus

Miss Josephine Kathleen Bartus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bartus, of Northfield Farms, and Stanley Jakutovitz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Jakutovitz of Montague, were married last Saturday morning in St. John's Church, Millers Falls. The double-ring ceremony was performed by Rev. James B. Kennedy.

Miss Victoria Bartus, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. The bridesmaid was Miss Mildred I. Warsawski. The bridegroom had as his best man his brother, John Jakutovitz, and the usher was Joseph Bartus, brother of the bride.

Following the ceremony a dinner and reception was held at the Montague Inn for 100 guests. Mr. and Mrs. Jakutovitz left on a trip and on their return will make their home in Montague.



The new Telephone Building on Main Street which was officially opened on Wednesday for use in inaugurating the dial system in this community. It houses the complex mechanisms which automatically responds to the demands of telephone subscribers.

## The Medical Unit Has Secured Its Fund Thanks To Solicitors

Congratulations are in order for the 22 young solicitors from the 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th grades of the local school, who have gone over the top in the Northfield Medical Drive, and secured a total of \$107.54 toward supplies for the Medical Defense Unit in which the town is located. Dr. Richard G. Holton, chairman of the drive, has announced that with the splendid cooperation of the students, Principals Cobb and Leonard, and the generous contributions made by the townspeople, the fund has exceeded the original goal of \$100. Prizes have been awarded to the following boys and girls for their good work in the campaign: First prize, \$2 in Defense Stamps, to Edwin Finch; second prize, \$1 in Defense Stamps to Lee Hammond; third, fourth, fifth and sixth prizes of 50 cents in Stamps to Betty Phelps, Ruth Norton, Ellen Briemaster and Mary Strange.

Northfield is a part of the medical district composed of the towns of Bernardston, Erving, Gill, and Montague. Supplies for the district are to be stored at the Farren Hospital with a portion kept in each town for emergency purposes. Two mobile medical units, consisting of two doctors, four nurses and necessary equipment, will stand by to cover emergency areas in the district. Dr. William J. Pelletier of Turners Falls, who has recently been appointed Chief Medical Defense Officer for this area, has expressed great satisfaction at the success of the Northfield drive.

## Lenten Services

Wednesday, Ash Wednesday on the church calendar, this week, was the first day of Lent and churches throughout the world will render proper observance. The Lenten season will close with the Easter celebration on Sunday, April 5. Members of the Episcopal Church here have received the list of special services from St. James Church of Greenfield and cards have also been sent to many here announcing the Union services at the Second Congregational Church of Greenfield, on each Sunday till Easter, from 4 to 6 o'clock in the afternoon. Miss Margaret Slatery will be the speaker next Sunday. There will also be special music. In the local Congregational Church an evening Lenten Institute will be held each Thursday evening. Following supper served at 6 o'clock, classes will be held, with a song service and address.

## Dial Phone System Inaugurated Wednesday Subscribers Instructed

The dial phone system is now in use in Northfield, supplanting the old magnetic method, with its crank or handle and delay in passing through "central". No longer will we hear the words of the operator, "number please" or "line busy". Now one makes his or her own calls by fingering the dial for the number wanted, and if the line is busy, it responds with a "buzz" which means lay off for a time. The dial system will be found much quicker and more satisfactory than the old method. On Monday evening in town hall, a public meeting was held under the auspices of the Northfield, when officials of the New England Telephone Company explained fully the working of the new method and showed moving pictures of the activities of the many departments of the operating company. The hall was well filled and the audience applauded enthusiastically the showing of the sound pictures, which revealed the story of the telephone activity throughout the nation, and also many scenes of the doings of our soldiers, marines and sailors. Mr. Spencer, the manager of the Greenfield district of which Northfield is a part, presided and was the speaker at the meeting.

Switchover Made. On Wednesday many employees of the company arrived early and began the preparations for the "switchover". All was in readiness and at exactly 12:15 o'clock the signal was flashed to go ahead. In the Selectmen's office sat Chairman Fred A. Holton, in company with the Greenfield manager, S. F. Spencer, and the first call over the dial system was put through to George McEwan at his home. Then began the normal business of receiving and connecting calls, while Mr. Holton made the first toll call for the town to Attorney J. T. Bartlett of Greenfield. The apparatus worked perfectly throughout the day and although working crews were ready for any outside trouble, no difficulties were encountered. Among the official representatives present at the changing were G. C. Goudy, district Commercial manager; Francis Caverly, district plant superintendent; F. V. Moulton, traffic supervisor; J. E. Bonnevill, wire chief, Greenfield; Charles A. Weston, division dial conversion supervisor; and Mr. Spencer, manager of the Greenfield district, in which Northfield is included. All subscribers now have the new telephone list of numbers and these should be used in the dialing of the phones. Within a few days the old phones will be removed, as well as the old installations and soon it is expected that the use of the dial will be duly appreciated.

No. 3 School Plans Committee Is Formed. On an evening in January at No. 3 school house on the Farms road, the residents of the district held a meeting to form an association and consider plans for the use of the building as a community house. The organization was named District No. 3, Community Club, and it was voted to petition the town of Northfield for the use of the building. Accordingly the matter was put squarely up to the voters, as the Moderator read article 32 in the Warrant. After a brief discussion the town voted unanimously to permit the use of the old school building to the people of the district. It is expected that religious services will be held on Sundays and that the use will be for other purposes in a social way at other times. The officers of the new organization are James Dresser, President; Mrs. Homer Browning, Jr., Secretary, and Mrs. Willis Parker, Treasurer. Trustees are Homer Browning, Jr., Ernest Parker and Eugene Williams.

Announce Engagement. The Rev. W. Stanley Carne and Mrs. Carne of Elizabethtown, New York, have announced the engagement of their younger daughter, Miss Margaret Carne, to George J. Poole, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Poole of Minneapolis, Minn. Miss Carne is a graduate of Northfield Seminary and is now in the Junior Class at Wheaton College, Wheaton, Ill. Mr. Poole has attended Northwestern Bible School and is now a Senior at Wheaton College. He plans to enter Theological Seminary in the fall.

## Blackout Tests Due Perhaps Next Month Will We Be Ready

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JOHN W. HASELTINE County Co-ordinator Civilian Defense

its try-out in March, according to the county co-ordinator, John W. Haseltine of Greenfield. Today a meeting is being held at the county court house of all town chairmen of civilian defense, protection chairmen and chief air-wardens to consider thoroughly the subject and plan the day. However this area will receive ample warning, but inhabitants are warned that they should plan their co-operation and be ready when the alarm summons.

In a test, which is a try-out, the day and hour will be named in advance. The local authorities, and Mr. McEwan, Chairman, as well as Capt. William Marshall, chief air warden here, feel assured that Northfield is ready and that there will be a whole hearted spirit of co-operation in the test. If readers will follow out the blackout instructions recently printed in the Press, there will be no excuse for any misunderstanding of the regulations. Mount Hermon school, the Seminary, our public schools, town hall, the Northfield hotel, and other places where people gather, including churches, have all details for safety in hand for a test or for a real emergency.

## Bought Defense Stamp Was a Fine Record

Since the sale of Defense Savings Stamps began, 17 weeks ago, the pupils of Northfield Center school have bought \$1,043.65 worth. This is an average of over a week, and of nearly 25 cents per week per pupil. The largest weekly sale was just after Christmas when many Christmas presents were invested in Savings Stamps. Of the entire amount the sixth grade has bought \$173 worth, the seventh, \$166, and the eighth, \$162.

## Congregational Church

Services at the Congregational Church, Sunday, and events of the week are as follows:

Sunday at 10: Sunday School; 11, morning worship, sermon by Mr. Dahl; 4:30, Christian Endeavor, Arlene Finch and Helen Howard in charge; 8:15, Young People's Forum.

Thursday at 2 p. m., the Connecticut Valley Bible Conference; address, "The Fellowship of His Sufferings," by Rev. Mr. Crossman of Worcester; 6, Thursday Lenten Institute, see news item.

Friday at 7:30 p. m., evening auxiliary; sewing meeting at the church; devotions led by Miss Isabelle Thompson.

## The Unitarian Church

On Sunday at 10:45 there will be the service of worship and sermon. The first of a series of Lenten sermons will be given. Topic: "Born of the Spirit, a Return to Religion," Mrs. L. Percy Goodspeed, organist, Rev. Arthur Heeb, minister.

Church school, 9:45, service leader, Harland Randall, Winona Robinson in charge of the music.

## Seminary Services

Services in Sage Chapel at Northfield Seminary this Sunday will be led by Dr. Halford E. Luccock of the Yale Divinity School, who will speak at 11 a. m. and vespers service at 8:15 p. m.

## War Fund Campaign Of The Red Cross Concludes Here

The War Fund Campaign of the American Red Cross in this community has ended its solicitation and George W. Carr, Chairman of the Northfield organization, has reported to the County Chapter that \$869.33 was secured here. The Franklin County quota was fixed at \$35,000, and Edgar Burr Smith, the county chairman, states that approximately \$1,391.60 more is needed to complete the sum. Mr. Smith says that the county has made a wonderful response and hopes that generous friends will come forward in the desired amount. Mr. Carr desires to express his thanks to all members of the local committee, who gave so generously of their time and effort to conduct the canvass here. These assisting include the following persons, with the amounts of money secured in their district:

Mrs. Fred Huber	\$27.95
Mrs. Robert McCastline	11.15
A. P. Fitt	21.00
Mrs. Neva Barber	13.00
Mrs. William Marshall	28.75
Mrs. A. Gordon Moody and Mrs. Charles Lawrence (Hotel)	51.45
Mrs. Lawrence Hammond	25.20
Mrs. A. H. Farnum	8.75
Mrs. Fred Bolton	18.00
Mrs. Richard Cobb	19.50
Miss Julia Austin	24.62
Miss Elithorpe (Sem. Faculty and Office Staff)	55.00
Mrs. Edward Bolton	9.00
Mrs. William Shattuck	62.00
W. H. Waite	9.50
Mrs. Charles Repeta	20.00
Mrs. Vernal V. Hurlbut	22.28
Roy Hatch	64.00
Northfield Seminary	300.00
Church	10.00
Northfield Garden Club	10.00
George Carr	68.20

## Marriage Announced

Miss Margaret Duncan, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. William Y. Duncan of New York, summer residents of East Northfield, and Robert G. Van Puersem, whose parents are missionaries in Arabia, were married, Tuesday, December 30 in the afternoon at the University Heights, Presbyterian Church by the bride's father. Miss Duncan graduated from the Seminary in the class of 1938 and will graduate in June from Barnard College. Mr. Puersem is with the Black Watch Regiment, at present stationed at Quebec.

## Hears From Son

Mr. and Mrs. H. St. John Harvey of Bloomfield, N. J., summer residents of this town, have heard from their son, Robert, who is with the Navy in Hawaii. He is safe, but has had his experiences which were thrilling. His wife has left Honolulu by clipper plane and is now with his parents. Mr. St. John Harvey is active with war duties as the Air-Warden of his district and is also taking a complete first aid course.

## Sells Jam and Jellies

Mrs. E. M. Powell has arranged to place in the cupboard at the "Birthplace", which is the faculty house for the Seminary, a collection of jams and jellies, which have been contributed by many friends, to be sold as may be needed for the benefit of the Red Cross.

Forty jars will mean a profit of \$10. Anyone wishing to contribute a jar may phone or leave it at the home of Mrs. A. P. Fitt. The name of the contributor will be placed on each jar.

## Fortnightly To-day

This afternoon at 3 o'clock in Alexander Hall, the Fortnightly will hear a talk by Miss Mildred Briggs of Massachusetts State College, entitled, "The Old Bed and Its Coverings." Miss Briggs will bring illustrative materials, including quilts and coverlets which add interest to her unique subject.

THE EMBLEM OF CIVILIAN DEFENSE



## We Have Guard Unit Formed For Defense Part of State Guard

This community now has a very efficient Unit of the Massachusetts State Guard Reserves and on Thursday evening of last week was inspected at the Town Hall by Capt. Harold H. Fowler of Co. L, of Greenfield, accompanied by Sgt. William Bailey, Harrison G. Stacy is in charge of the local Unit with the rank of lieutenant and he hopes soon to receive the official recognition of the State Guard Adjutant. Rifles and uniforms are expected for all members.

The roster, enrolled for three years' service, is as follows: Pvt. Robert D. Abbott, Pvt. Harold H. Bigelow, Jr.; Pvt. Mfg. Clifford I. Bolton; Sgt. Edward C. Bolton; Corp. Richard W. Borrows; Pvt. Charles R. Browning; Pvt. Duncan F. Campbell; Pvt. Vincent A. Campbell; Pvt. Eugene S. Culum; Sgt. Roy J. Fish; Sgt. Alexander D. Gibson; Sgt. Sidney H. Given; Pvt. Lc. Albert J. Griswold (musician); Pvt. Byron A. Haley; Pvt. Harry J. Holloway; Pvt. Lawrence M. Hammond; Pvt. Joseph W. Holton; Pvt. Ralph B. Holton; Pvt. Frank D. Huber; 1st Sgt. Max L. Huber; Corp. Vernal Hurlbut; Sgt. Arthur W. Hutchison; Pvt. Alfred O. LaBell; Pvt. Leonard M. Lanphear; Pvt. Francis E. Lilly; Pvt. Stanley A. Matosky; Pvt. Lc. Paul M. Mayberry; Pvt. Lc. Bernard C. Noga; Pvt. John M. Pallam; Corp. Willis K. Parker; Corp. cc. Philip Peltz; Pvt. Edward M. Powell, Jr.; Pvt. Mcg. William D. Ross; Pvt. Charles J. Scoble; Pvt. Alvin H. Scott; Pvt. Howard Skinner; Corp. Owen Stacey; Pvt. Paul B. Thompson; Sgt. James W. Wilde.

## Is In Medical Corps

Dr. John W. Bennett, one of our Northfield young men, who has been residing with his family at Durham, N. C., has been called into service and is a lieutenant in the Medical Corps of the U. S. Navy. He has been at Macon, Georgia, but now is at Jacksonville, Florida, with the recruiting office. His mother, Mrs. A. F. Bennett of Northfield Farms is visiting with his family at Durham.

## For Home Nursing

A special class in home nursing will be held for members of the Monday afternoon, Tuesday and Wednesday evening home nursing classes at Alexander Hall, this Friday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock.

All members of the three classes are expected to attend, as this is a make-up class with due credit given. Mrs. Joyce Mathieu will have charge and will cover the material given at the time the Wednesday afternoon class was organized.

## Hostel Publicity

Perhaps the best showing in pictures of the activities of the Youth Hostel movement was in the issue of Friends, the magazine of the Chevrolet motors, in this month's issue. It is a splendid work of publicity accorded the organization and includes a picture of the headquarters building in this town. A short story gives the record of the work in America.

## Bible Conference

The Connecticut Valley Bible Conference will hold the February meeting in the Trinitarian Congregational Church, Thursday, the 26th. Prayer service at 10:30 a. m. Basket lunch at noon. Afternoon service at 2 o'clock. The speakers will be Rev. Edw. C. Dahl, Devotional; Mrs. William Giebel, Bible Exposition, Psalm 84 "Threefold Blessed," Rev. Mr. Crossman, pastor Lincoln Square Baptist Church, Worcester, address, "The Fellowship of His Suffering." All are cordially invited to attend.

## TOWN TOPICS

A large group of members of the faculties of Mount Hermon school and the Seminary, as well as some local folks, attended the Foreign Policy Association meeting in Greenfield, Thursday evening and thoroughly enjoyed the address of Dwight Salmon of Amherst College on Latin America.

A card from Miss Florence M. Layton, summer resident of the Highlands, who is spending the winter at Ocean Grove, N. J., states that she is enjoying the fine weather conditions there.

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## TOWN TOPICS

Local Legion authorities have been advised that the total weight of auto plates collected in the state amounted to 350 tons, which the state has sold to the Bethlehem Steel Corporation for \$3800.

In Probate Court last week in Greenfield, the will of the late Miss Katherine F. Grady of this town was allowed. Edith E. Swartout of Brattleboro is the executrix.

Charles E. Leach, Jr., of this town, who has an advertising studio in the Burnham building in Greenfield, announces that he will conduct an art school there, with classes in commercial art, drawings, painting, etc. He graduated from the New England School of Art in 1939.

A series of first aid classes will be held at No. 4 school house at Northfield Farms on Wednesday evenings. Charles Repeta will be the instructor.

Mrs. D. F. Sutherland, local chairman in the production department of the Red Cross, has sent to Greenfield another box of finished articles made by the women of this town, assisting her. Her workers are now awaiting another shipment of yarns.

Information has been received here that E. J. Blanchard of Concord, N. H., a former resident of this town, who operated the ferry across the river, until the Bennett Meadow bridge was completed, has been notified that his grandson was lost in the attack at Pearl Harbor.

Cards to friends from Dr. and Mrs. Allen H. Wright say that they are finding the climate in Florida most delightful. After spending some time with their daughter and husband, they visited with Mrs. L. A. Polhemus in Miami.

Mrs. William H. Mitchell of the Hinsdale road was called to Manchester, N. H., early this month owing to the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Edith E. Locke-Wood, who passed in death on February 10th. Mrs. Wood was a former resident of this town.

A daughter, Betty Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Verne C. Ware at the Farren Memorial hospital on Sunday, February 8.

Elliott V. Fleckles of Mount Hermon at the Franklin County hospital on Wednesday, February 11. Miss Tessie Lernatowitz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William D. Lernatowitz of Warwick avenue has received an appointment as a senior typist at the Navy Department in Washington after qualifying in a civil service examination.

A tribute to the memory of the late Herbert C. Parsons, formerly of this town, will be offered by Reuben L. Lurie of Boston at the annual meeting of the Pocumtuck Valley Memorial association which will be held in old Deerfield on Tuesday, February 23. Mr. Parsons was an active member of the association which is now headed by Judge Thompson as President.

Every library book contributed in this town, in common with others throughout the country, will bear this bookmark inside the cover. "Gift of the people of the United States through the Victory Book Campaign to the armed forces and merchant marine". ALA, ARC, USO.

Paul Davis, son of Mrs. Margaret Davis of the Seminary, and a nephew of Miss Isabel Thompson of Main street, is an enlisted aviation cadet in training at Lowry Field, in Denver, Colo.



THE BIRTHPLACE—from an old photo

From every quarter comes a protest against the chain letters, flooding the mails, for defense stamps. Any such schemes to solicit these stamps for various purposes is prohibited by the P. O. authorities. If you get a chain letter which involves or concerns Defense Stamps, turn it over to your Postmaster.

## TRAFFIC TIPS AND QUIPS



## Stretching The Jellies

By Frances Lee Barton

ABOUT this time of year the jelly shelf begins to look bare, no matter how plentifully we have stocked it during the preserving season. Somehow or other, both men and children can never get enough of these "spoon victuals."

Here is a jelly stretch that may be prepared when few fresh fruits or berries are available — a delightful change, as well.

Carrot Marmalade  
4 cups (2 lbs.) prepared carrot and citrus mixture; 7 cups (3 lbs.) sugar; 1/2 bottle fruit pectin.  
To prepare carrot and citrus mixture, cook about 2 pounds carrots until tender; drain and grind or chop fine. Add grated rind of 2 medium oranges and 2 medium lemons. Peel oranges and dice, discarding hard centers and seeds. Squeeze lemons. Add orange pulp and lemon juice to carrots. If desired, add 2 to 3 teaspoons ginger or cinnamon.

Measure sugar and prepared mixture, solidly packed, into large kettle. Mix well, bring to a boil, and boil gently 5 minutes. Stir constantly before and while boiling. Remove from fire and stir in bottled fruit pectin. Pour quickly. Paraffin hot marmalade at once. Makes about 10 glasses (6 fluid ounces each).

## THE POCKETBOOK of KNOWLEDGE



## How About a Chocolate Pie?

By Frances Lee Barton

SERVE a chocolate pie and watch the men as well as the children ask for "seconds." Make it a chocolate coconut cream pie and you are the Queen of the home. Few dishes appeal so strongly to that proverbial "sweet tooth."

Chocolate Coconut Cream Pie  
3 squares unsweetened chocolate; 2 1/2 cups milk; 1 cup sugar; 6 tablespoons flour; 1/4 teaspoon salt; 2 egg yolks, slightly beaten; 2 tablespoons butter; 1 teaspoon vanilla; 1 baked 9-inch pie shell. 2 egg whites; 4 tablespoons sugar; 1/4 cup shredded coconut.

Add chocolate to milk and heat in double boiler. When chocolate is melted, beat with rotary egg beater until blended. Combine sugar, flour, and salt; add gradually to chocolate mixture and cook until thickened, stirring constantly, then continue cooking 10 minutes stirring occasionally. Pour small amount of mixture over egg yolks, stirring vigorously; return to double boiler and cook 2 minutes longer. Add butter and vanilla and cool. Turn into pie shell. Beat egg whites until foamy throughout; add sugar, 2 tablespoons at a time, beating after each addition until sugar is blended. Then continue beating until mixture will stand in peaks. Pile lightly on filling. Sprinkle with coconut. Bake in moderate oven (350° F.) 15 minutes, or until delicately browned.

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## Facts For Fish Lovers



By BETTY BARCLAY

This country may not be the "fishermen's Paradise" that Finland is with 60,000 lakes and 80,000 islands but there are few districts where fresh fish are not available — and excellent canned seafood is always in season. The many varieties of fish and shellfish make planning Lenten menus a pleasure. In fact Lent offers the homemaker a good opportunity to get better acquainted with this nutritious food which contributes valuable proteins and minerals to the diet.

Fish and lemons are associated on dining tables the world around. Lemon juice is rubbed over fish to be baked or fried; fresh fish is marinated in lemon juice and oil before it is baked or broiled.

To keep fish white when boiling, add 1 tablespoon lemon juice and 1/4 teaspoon salt to one quart of water used for cooking. When using canned fish such as salmon or tuna in a creamed or scalloped dish, sprinkle fish with lemon juice before adding the white sauce.

If fish is served as an appetizer course, lemon is indispensable. An excellent cocktail sauce for shellfish — oysters, clams or shrimp — is made with 1 tablespoon horseradish, 1/2 cup tomato catsup, 6 tablespoons fresh lemon juice, a dash of tabasco sauce and salt to taste. Blend ingredients well and serve very cold.

For a canape spread, cream 3 tablespoons fresh lemon juice with

1/2 pound sweet butter. This is an excellent spread for crisp crackers or fresh or toasted bread to be topped with anchovies, caviar, sardines or spreads made with tuna, salmon or any desired fish.

For lemon garnishes with fish, be sure to serve juice quarters so that the individual can add lemon to his taste.

Here is an excellent method of preparing a salmon mold, good for Lent and equally good at any season.

Salmon Mold  
1 No. 2 can salmon  
1 tablespoon butter  
1/4 tablespoon cornstarch  
1 teaspoon dry mustard  
2 egg yolks  
1/2 cup milk  
1/4 cup lemon juice  
1/4 teaspoon gelatin  
2 tablespoons cold water  
Salt to taste  
1/4 cup whipping cream  
1/2 cup diced cucumber  
Cook butter, cornstarch, mustard, egg yolks and milk in double boiler to soft custard consistency. Add gelatin liquefied in cold water. Add lemon juice and salmon. Season to taste. (Rub salmon through coarse sieve if a fine texture is desired.) Cool. Fold in whipped cream and cucumbers. Pour into one large mold or a number of small molds. Serves 6.  
Serve garnished with lemon quarters, lemon slices and radish roses.

He: "If you'll give me your telephone number, I'll call you up sometime."

She: "It's in the book."  
He: "Fine! And what's your name?"

She: "That's in the book, too!"

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Ayame Sweet Peas . . . . . 2 No. 2 cans 25c

Phillips Hand-Packed Tomatoes  
2 No. 2 cans — 17c

Growers Table Salt . . . . . 2-2 lb. boxes 13c

Ocean Spray Cranberry Sauce . . . . . can 11c

Lovering Farm Tomato Catsup, 14 oz. bot 12c

Hearts Delight Nectars . . . . . 3 tall cans 25c  
Prune or Apricot

Phillips Pork and Beans . . . . . 4 No. 1 cans 25c

Del Monte Corn on Cob (4 ears) . . . . . can 17c

Mother Kerns Mustard . . . . . qt. jar 10c

Sunmaid Seedless Raisins, 2-15 oz. boxes 17c

King Philip Dill Pickles . . . . . qt. jar 19c

Growers Salad Dressing . . . . . qt. jar 31c

H. O. Oats . . . . . 20 oz. package 12½c

Rockwood Cocoa . . . . . 2 lb. can 17c

Blue Ribbon Egg Noodles . . . . . 16 oz. bag 12c

Kraft Spaghetti Dinners . . . . . 2 for 19c

Ralston Checker Oats . . . . . large box 20c

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## Adventures in Kitchen-Land



By BETTY BARCLAY

Bread need not be the necessary but a bit prosaic "staff of life"—it can be an adventure in food. Today's woman does not, like her grandmother, devote a day or two a week to the art of breadmaking, but she is eager and sufficiently hospitality-minded to welcome choice recipes for quick breads which will delight friends and family.

For afternoon tea, for the school lunch, for Sunday night supper or refreshments for that evening bridge game there are a variety of delicious breads which add immeasurably to the basic "sandwich diet." Not only do they give variety—they are nutritious—and require only the simplest of spreads. The small amount of time necessary to make this Orange Honey bread pictured, for instance, will be amply repaid by the satisfaction of those who eat it.

**Orange Honey Bread**  
3 tablespoons shortening  
1 cup honey  
1 well-beaten egg  
1½ tablespoons grated orange peel  
¾ cups flour, sifted before measuring  
¾ teaspoons baking powder  
¾ teaspoon soda  
¾ teaspoon salt  
¾ cup orange juice  
¾ cup chopped nuts  
Cream shortening and honey together well. Add egg and grated orange peel. Sift flour, baking powder, soda and salt together. Add the dry ingredients to the creamed fat and honey mixture alternately with the orange juice. Add the nut meats. Pour into an oiled 9 by 5-inch loaf pan. Bake at 325° F. for 70 minutes. The nuts may be omitted. (Makes 1 loaf.)

**Lemon Clover Rolls**  
3 cups flour, sifted  
2 tablespoons sugar  
¼ teaspoon baking soda  
¼ teaspoon salt  
¼ cup shortening  
¼ cup milk  
3 tablespoons lemon juice  
Sift dry ingredients and work in shortening. Add milk which has been soured by combining with lemon juice. Knead slightly. Form dough into small, walnut sized balls. Place 3 balls in each cup of a greased muffin tin. Sprinkle with sugar. Bake in hot oven (450° F.) 20 minutes. These rolls have a very fine texture almost like a yeast roll. (Makes 16-20 rolls.)

**Quick Orange Jam**  
3 cups orange pulp and juice  
1 lemon, pulp and juice  
1½ cups sugar  
Boil quickly about 10 minutes or until syrupy and clear. (Makes 7 glasses.)

## COMMON COLD BUG MYSTERY TO PHYSICIAN

"The economic and medical importance of common colds is not due to their severity nor duration, but to their frequent recurrence, and the train of secondary infection set up," says Dr. Edwin H. Place, physician-in-charge of the contagious department of the Boston City Hospital in the ninth of a series of articles issued by the health division of the Massachusetts Committee on Public Safety.

"The recognition, or diagnosis, of a cold, contrary to common belief, is very difficult. A great variety of different causes may produce the symptoms of a cold," Dr. Place said today. Some infections like measles, whooping cough, even typhoid, or typhus, or epidemic meningitis may start with respiratory symptoms like a cold.

"Irritant gases or dusts or, for certain allergic persons, a great variety of inhalants may produce what is thought to be a cold."

"The disease we intend to discuss under this name is caused by a filterable virus which is found in the nose and throat secretions in the early days of the disease. The physicians cannot distinguish the mild attacks of influenza infection from the common cold other than by experimental study. The ordinary bacteria in the throat and nose do not 'cause the cold' but in many cases, if present, or brought to the mucous membranes during a cold, these germs may cause complications—as ear infection, sinusitis, lobar or broncho-pneumonia—or may prolong the course and change its character."

### Cough Contagion

"The contagiousness of colds is very great, partly due to coughing and sneezing which throw the virus into the air in great amounts. Germ laden droplets do not settle out in a few feet around the patient nor in a few seconds as formerly believed, but if small enough, they evaporate and float about as droplet-nuclei for hours. Great as the contagiousness is, this state doesn't last more than three to four days so far as known, and the later stages of colds are probably not contagious."

"Immunity to cold, resulting from an attack, is relatively short; less than three months. Because of the variety of possible causes difficult to isolate this immunity is difficult to study except under strict experimental conditions, out it is fairly certain that repeated attacks are the rule and not the exception as in many respiratory infections," the doctor says.

"There is general belief that robust good health, outdoor living and work, a good well balanced diet, good red blood, and good circulation are a protection against the common cold. While these are all highly recommended, the avoidance of colds is more likely to be from lessened contact with the infection than from good, genuine health. In fact, the best way to avoid a cold is to avoid the vicinity of people who may have a cold."

"The importance of predisposing factors such as chilling, and wet feet are controversial subjects. My opinion is that the excessive loss of body heat for long periods, i.e. more than five to ten minutes, so that a sense of chilliness occurs, increases the susceptibility to the common cold."

### No Proof

"No local application nor internal drug has yet been proved a preventive of colds. In fact, the proof or disproof of such action requires such a critical, unbiased study of such a large number of persons for so long a time that it is both difficult and expensive."

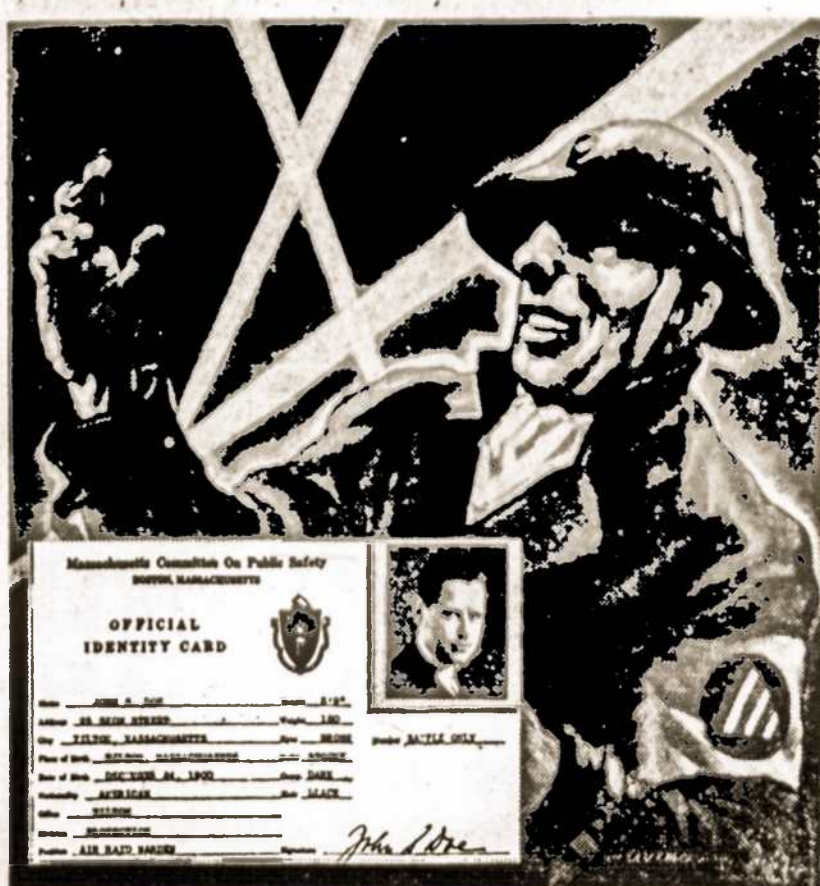
"In the treatment of colds without much doubt the most useful and important treatment is to go to bed until well. A free-fluid diet with plenty of fruit juices, a fairly uniform temperature and humidity are best. There is no adequate evidence that the duration of a cold is influenced by drugs. Some colds last a day or two and some for days or a week, while some may be continued by secondary infection into weeks or months. These secondary infections can be prevented or cut short, or often cured, but the primary short cold apparently cannot."

## She's Training



This little lady of two—Miss Lucy Martin—has gone into summer training with her morning portion of honey. Honey new forms an important part of young and adult diet the clock around.

## This Is An Air Raid Warden



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**HIS AUTHORITY.** He is the personal representative of the Massachusetts Committee on Public Safety. He is NOT a policeman but he does function WITH the police force and WITH its help.

## TOWN TOPICS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Holton of Highland avenue left yesterday (Thursday) for a visit with their on and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chandler Holton, at Atlanta, Ga. They made the journey by rail.

The dance last Friday evening at the Town Hall by the High School pupils was well attended and netted a fine profit. Music was by Canedy's orchestra.

Anyone who still feels that they would like to contribute a book to the Victory Book Campaign for the armed forces of the nation, should send it to the Dickinson library, to Mrs. Norton, the librarian.

A number of members of Harmony Lodge of Masons attended the reception given to the recently elected Junior Grand Warden of the Grand Lodge, Clarence Fisher, by Mt. Sugarloaf Lodge of South Deerfield, last Friday evening.

Carlton Finch, who is attending Bates College, has been named as the air warden for his dormitory. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Finch.

The fourth lecture in the series to air raid wardens will be given in the Town Hall, Sunday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, and the subject is "Forest Fire Fighters." The fifth lecture will be given Tuesday evening at 7:45 o'clock, and the subject, "Incendiary Bombs." The public is invited to attend.

In a contest of essays on "The Honey Bee," conducted by the County Beekeepers' Association, of which Carroll Miller is president, Miss Mary Fisher of this town won the second award.

In the caucus at Gill held this week to nominate town officials, Frank E. Dunn of Mount Hermon was chairman, and Miss Dorothy Totman, clerk. Charles R. Mayberry of Mount Hermon was named for tax collector; Harry A. Erickson, for school committee; Merwin D. Birdsell for auditor. There is no opposition in the election and Mount Hermon is well represented in the slate.

Robert A. Randall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon A. Randall of this town, has enlisted in the Navy and passed his preliminary examination.

The Teachers' Club met at the Center school, Thursday afternoon with Miss Rich and Miss Lowe in charge of the program.

Northfield's good friend, George C. Stebbins, will be 96 years old on February 26, and friends here are urged to send him a card of greeting. The Press extends best wishes for continued good health and more birthdays yet to come.

There was a large attendance at the meeting of the Northfield Brotherhood at the Congregational Church on Tuesday evening. A fine supper was served, and after a brief business session, Mr. Valentine of the F. B. I. delivered a most interesting talk on "Youth Criminology." The local Boy Scouts were guests.

Mrs. Nellie Handy continues quite ill at her home on Main street and Miss Emma Bigelow is caring for her.

## DELAND'S MUSIC STORE

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Monroe Smith, director of the Hostels, accompanied by William Nelson, New England director, attended a meeting of the AYH finance committee in Springfield on Tuesday and afterward were at Springfield college with their moving pictures showing hostel activities.

Rev. Dr. Herbert Gale of the Seminary was the preacher at the Congregational Church last Sunday morning, due to the illness of Rev. Mr. Dahl, who has sufficiently recovered to be able to preach next Sunday morning.

Weather, whether we like it or not, of all kinds have been our lot the past week, extreme cold, high winds, cloudy, sunshine, rain sleet. Those who traveled by auto and were out late Monday night will not forget the slippery highways.

Miss Elizabeth S. Miller of the Lying-In hospital of Providence spent last week end with her parents here Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Miller.

The registration of men between 20 and 44, who had not previously enrolled for selective service, was completed last Sunday and Monday by the local registrars who recorded 98 names at the Town Hall. The cards now go to the draft board of the district.

That see-saw game, indulged in by our local bowling team, put them in second place, and only a point short of first position in the county league last week, as a result of winning last week's game. Wednesday evening of this week the team rolled the strong Boston and Maine team.

During the month of January the Northfield Postoffice has sold Defense bonds to an amount of \$2,831.25.

Henry Shipman, who resides in Montana, is advertising that he has timber lots for sale here comprising some 126 acres.

The Rev. and Mrs. Robert M. Russell of Tucson, Arizona, frequent visitors to Northfield, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Ellen Russell, to the Rev. Malcolm Marshall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Warner Marshall of New York. Miss Russell attended the Northfield Seminary and St. Catherine's School of Richmond.

An automobile skidded sideways into the fence along Winchester road opposite the Watson house and knocked down about 15 feet of it. The highway has been exceedingly slippery along this stretch.

Seth Field visited his parents here last week end, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Field. Seth left on Tuesday for Cleveland where he has enlisted and hopes to be accepted for the Coast Guard.

The County Chapter of Red Cross met Thursday afternoon in the Directors' room of the Franklin County Trust Co.

The barrel in front of the A & P store, placed there to receive clothing, etc., for British War Relief, will shortly be removed. Later it has become a receptacle for all sorts of rubbish.

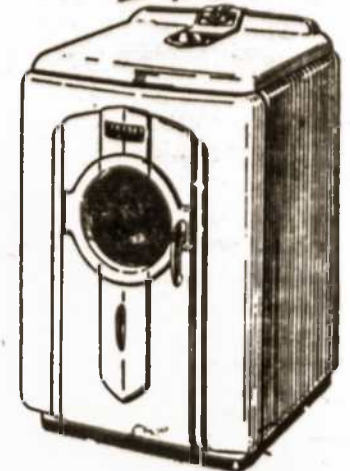
The Board of Managers of Virginia Camp will meet next Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. A. P. Pitt for a discussion of plans of the dress sale, which will be held in March for the benefit of the camp.

Mrs. Rita Page Alexander was a visitor in town on Monday at the home of Miss Margaret Page.



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## EDITORIAL

### WAR TAXES

All realize that higher taxes are an unavoidable necessity. But no existing tax should be increased, and no new tax should be imposed, without the most careful analysis of its justice, and its effect upon the producers and workers of the country.

The American people are fully aware of the need for higher taxes. But they don't want camouflaged levies. Congress' duty now is two-fold—first, the maximum possible reduction in non-defense spending in all fields, no matter whose toes are stepped on; second, a war tax bill which will raise directly and without deception the additional revenue the Treasury must have. A sound fiscal policy is as much a part of war as great armies and navies.

### SAVE GO EASY

At the annual meeting of the town, liberal appropriations were made, but some by a narrow margin. What actually was needed for the best interest of the town, was provided, but there is a decided feeling now that those responsible for the expenditure of money, should go easy and conserve. Public office, either by individuals or departments should not be a racket. If it is at all possible to economize, these responsible should do so. Many taxpayers, whose income has been dwindled, find taxation becoming a hard proposition.

### PROPERTY

Real estate in this town is at its lowest level. It will not bring its actual cost and some choice realty is being offered for less than fifty percent of value. People who are in market and can purchase a home, the present affords an opportunity. Recently a dozen desirable properties have been listed with agents, as well as a going business. Everywhere reports are coming in that buying is increasing and the day will soon come when all available places have been sold, but that day has not arrived here. Now is the time to purchase a property.

### Cut Your Cordwood

In the expected heavy cutting of cordwood, due to the threatened shortage of coal and oil, the Massachusetts Forest and Park Association declares that woodland owners have a great opportunity to improve their property. On the other hand, without proper care they face a danger of ruining it.

"There has been no time in the past decade," says William P. Wharton, president of the association, "when low-grade material could be removed from the forest at a profit. Should the expected demand for fuel wood develop it will be possible to improve the quality of the stands and so put woodlands into good growing condition. But an enlarged market would also encourage clear cutting, which is an evil that must be avoided if we are to continue to have profitable forests here in New England."

### Know Massachusetts

by State Planning Board

DO YOU KNOW THAT . . . Of the tourists from other states who visited Massachusetts last summer, about 46% spent some nights at hotels, 44% in tourist houses, 26% in cabins and 6% in homes of friends; the overlapping of percentages being due to the fact that some parties used

two or more kinds of lodging . . . Nearly 70% of the tourist parties came by automobile, which indicates that active planning for means of public transportation will be required this summer on the part of recreational resorts . . . New residential building permits issued in Massachusetts in December 1941 averaged \$4,701 per dwelling unit; for the total year 1941 they averaged \$4,256 . . . There are 230 golf courses in Massachusetts comprising a total area of about 23,000 acres, approximately the size of the land area of the City of Worcester . . . Plymouth County produces about three-fourths of all the cranberries raised in the State . . . R. L. Polk Company reports that 4,325 new passenger cars were sold in Massachusetts last December, compared with 6,433 in the same month of 1940 . . . Labor turnover statistics show that in Massachusetts industries during November 1941 the number hired averaged about 3.54 persons per 100 employees, while 3.16 persons per 100 left their former employment . . . The State Planning Board, in collaboration with other interested agencies, has begun a survey to plan how Massachusetts civilians can secure essential transportation when their tires wear out.

### Service Honor Roll

Charles E. Auclair . . .	Army
Leon Bistrick . . .	Army
Wayne A. Black . . .	Army
George Butynski . . .	Army
Curtis A. Carmean . . .	Navy Res.
Ellsworth Cota . . .	Army
Joseph Cembalisky . . .	Army
Norman Danforth . . .	Navy
Alfred G. Edson . . .	Army
Robert deVere . . .	Navy
Mathew R. Forsaith . . .	Navy
Calvin Field . . .	Navy
Glenn W. Giebel . . .	Army
William G. Hillard . . .	Army
Raymond Kervian . . .	Army
Richard Mann . . .	Navy
Joseph Mankowsky . . .	Army
Joseph E. Miller . . .	Army
John F. Phelps . . .	Army
Raymond Quinain . . .	Army
Harold W. Randall . . .	Army
Harold H. Red . . .	Army
William Red . . .	Marines
James Russell . . .	Army
Edward Scobie . . .	Army
Joseph Smollen . . .	Army
Michael Urdlewicz . . .	Army
Vincent Zabko . . .	Navy
Herbert White . . .	Army
John Wozniak . . .	Army
Samuel James . . .	Army
Crawford Mann . . .	Navy
Valentine Plotczyk . . .	Navy
William Ripley . . .	Army
Clifford Dwight . . .	Army
John S. Bennett . . .	Navy
William Dalton . . .	Army
Paul Davis . . .	Army
Francis J. Plotczyk . . .	Army
Robert Russell . . .	Army
George Seyfert . . .	Navy
Cassevetes Tie . . .	Canadian
Edward Tie . . .	Army

\*Discharged, subject to recall.

### Center School Readers

Goddard Winterbottom has his fifth certificate for reading 25 books. Esther Compton of grade six has received an Honor Reading Certificate for reading and reporting on 20 books.

Robert Clark of grade eight has his third five-book certificate. Stephen Howard of grade six, John Greenwood of grade seven, and Edwin Finch of grade eight have received their second five-book certificate.

Others who have their first five-book certificate are: In grade six—Betty Franz, Fred Luciw, Donna Laplante, Emma Lavelle, Paul Rikert; in grade seven—Marion Kenney, Eugene Hutchinson, Carolyn Miller, Mary Strange, Eugene Lavelle; in grade eight—Marguerite Barnes, Portia Chamberlain, Floyd Dunnell, Patricia Long, Edmund Morgan, Russell Roberts, Victor Sherwood, Charlotte Stebbins, Irving Walker, Lawrence Whitney.

Mistress (during cleaning): "Be careful with those books, Jane. Some of them go back to George I." Maid: "Yes, and some of them ought to go back to the village library, ma'am!"—Exchange.

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### Public Forum

To the Editor:  
This week I received a letter from "The Little Flower", via Supt. Taylor of our schools. There are three statements I should like to question, with the hope of a satisfactory answer:

"Rest assured we are taking all the safety precautions possible to guard your children." What are they?

"If an air raid should come while your children are in school, see to your own safety—go to your refuge room, etc." Where is the children's "refuge room," and where could they get below the surface of the ground to avoid shell splinters?

"This is hard advice. It is not easy to take." Would it be quite so hard to take if we were told exactly WHAT has been done in our two public schools in the way of a shelter? Drills are not enough.

Having seen, last Saturday evening at Mt. Hermon, the "March of Time" picture regarding New England, I am not likely to forget soon the words, "New England is especially vulnerable for the enemy's attacks." Let's assume the war "is not 3000 miles away but on our shore," perhaps, on our Main street, could we get those shelters ready, praying to God at the same time, that we may never need to use them.

Sincerely,  
A Mother and a Grandmother.

### The Meals Tax Here

Although other communities have been visited by checkers for the state tax on meals, we have not heard of any checking up here. The local hotel and inns would probably be the source of considerable income as all meals costing \$1 or more are subject to the five per cent. tax. The law requires that all organizations, fraternal or of the church, all business places selling food, and all restaurants, must get registered and pay a fee of \$1, if they serve food, even if no meal ever amounts to a dollar per person.

### The Victoria Theatre

Greenfield  
Friday, Saturday, Feb. 20-21: Five acts of vodvil, and "Diamond Frontier" with Victor McLaglen and Anne Nagel. Sunday through Tuesday, Feb. 22-24: "Week-end in Havana," with Alice Faye and John Payne; also "The Singing Hill" with Gene Autry and Smiley Burnette.

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### Hermion And Gill Buy Many Defense Stamps

Frank E. Dunn of Mount Hermon school is chairman of the Gill Defense Savings Committee, and with its members is pushing an active campaign in that community, especially through the public schools and at Mount Hermon school. In five weeks the pupils of the public schools have

purchased stamps to an amount of \$223.70. The response from Mount Hermon school was averaging about \$100 a week. Mr. Dunn says that his committee hopes to attain sales amounting to at least a \$1,000 by June 1st.

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### Bird Rations

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When the northeast winds blow sharply and the old lady in the sky shakes up her feather bed, Mr. Bear, Mr. Woodchuck, Mr. Squirrel, and Mrs. Field Mouse just laugh up their furry sleeves. Now is the time to roll a little tighter into that winter sleep, or to begin on that store of nuts or seeds. But the birds have no emergency rations, except what their friends may provide. All their natural sources of supply are buried. Even the weed seeds are covered if the snow is deep, and by midwinter they are not too plentiful.

Now is the time to be a friend in need. Crumbs of any kind are acceptable, and they are much more useful if they are really crumbs, not big pieces of bread. They're lost too, if they are dropped in soft snow. It takes only a minute to tramp a hard surface, or to lay weighted cardboard, or a board, for a table. A feeding tray or box in a tree or on a post is a great help. Wild bird seed is cheap and pays big dividends in gratitude from the smaller birds. Small pieces of doughnut are hearty, and a great treat. Chunks of suet tied to branches will help put fat under feathers to withstand the cold. And one more thing. Today is always better than tomorrow. (From The Christian Science Monitor).



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